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512 11th st. p. w. THE CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF Washington city, D. C.—The annual election for directors of this bank will take place at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 13, 1801. Polls open from 12 m. to 1 p.m. J. A. RUFF, Cashier, d19-(4&)12 WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN rectroad Bonds.—On January 7, 1891, at 12:30 p.m., A. H. Muiller & Son, auctioneers, will sell \$10,000 of the last issue of these bonds, bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum, at the Real Estate Exchange, 59 Liberty 8t. New York City, by order of Frank Moss, executor estate Maitby G. Lane, deceased.

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THE CAPITAL TRUST COMPANY.
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Fresident, JUNN G. SLATER.
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Having located our office in the eastern section of the city we are prepared to take advantage of the many proving portion and we solicit the patronage of all who may need our services in any direction.

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Arrangements have been made for the convenience of persons living in the eastern and western sections of the city by which they can pay their gas bills during banking hours at THE NATIONAL CAPITAL BANK
OR
THE WEST END NATIONAL LANK.

Bills paid on or before the 8th of each month. AND THOSE ONLY, will be entitled to the discount of 25c. jet 1,000 cubic feet. c21-tr WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY. DR. W. BUDINGTON WRIGHT HAS removed his dental office to 610 13th st., where he has increased facilities for the accommodation

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WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1891.

SPECIAL NOTICES. SPECIAL NOTICES

THE AMERICAN SECURITY TRUST COMPANY. CAPITAL, \$1,250,000.

Under act of Congress approved October 1, 1890.
T. BRITTON, C. J. BELL, 1st Vice President PERCY B. METZGER. A. A. THOMAS, Treasurer. 2d Vice Pres GEORGE E. EMMONS, DIRECTORS . T. BRITTON. JAMES G. PAYNE.

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SPIRITUALISM AT WONN'S HALL, 721
6th st., FRIDAY NIGHT; Miss Massrie
Gaule of Baltimore, the wonderful test medium; during the day Friday, for private sittings, at Mrs. CABELL'S, 110 2d st. s. e. jal-2t*

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Capitol Hill Six Per Cent Fernanent Building Association will be held at McCauley's Hall on
MONDAY, January 5, 1891, for the election of its
officers and directors for the ensuing year,
jal-3t*

CHAS. J. BERNER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the National Fair Association of the District of Columbia, for the election of a board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before it, will be held in Shea's Hall, 632 Penna, ave. n.w., MONDAY, Jan. 12, at 12 m.

By order of the President, JOS. C. McKIBBIN.

GEO. B. REPETTI, Sec. THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE
existing between B. F. Gilbert and A. M.
Gorman, under the firm name of B. F. GILBERT &
CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
B. F. GILBERT,
A. M. GORMAN.

Mr. Gilbert in the future will devote his attention exclusively to the Takoma Park Loan and Trust Com-pany and to the development of Takoma Park at the old number, 625 F st. n. w. ALL THE LOT AND SITE HOLDERS OF

gressional cemetery are invited to attend a meeting to be held at Fourth Street M. E. Church s.e. on MON-DAY, January 3, at 7:30 p.m., to hear a report from dill-4t

THE NATIONAL UNION INSURANCE COMPANY Is now located in its new office, NO. 918 F STREET NORTHWEST.

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A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS A MEETING OF THE SICCENDULARIUM of the Washington and Georgetown Railroad Company, for the election of directors, will be held at the office of the company, Georgetown, on WEINESDAY, the 14th day of January, 1891.

The polls will be opened at 10 a.m. and closed at 12 m. Fransfer books will be closed on the 7th of January, 1891, and opened on January 14, 1891.

H. HURT, President.

C. M. KOONES, Secretary.

ANSONIA PARLOR CLOCKS. During this week a reduction of 10 per cent on all Parlor Clocks. Prices marked in plain figures.

GEO. W. SPIER, Jeweler, 310 9th st. n.w., near Pa. ave. office or, 7th st. and Louisiana ave. n.w., washington, D. C., December 22, 1830.—The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown will meet at this office on MONDAT, January 5. between the hours of 11 a.m. and 12 m., for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year.

d23-10t COMM. COMM. COMM.

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We have 1,000 tons chestnut and furnace coal which we will sell at \$4.75 per ton delivered. As we have to move this coal, we give the public the benefit of this reduction in price. AMERICAN ICE CO., 10th and F sts. h.w. 006 Pa. ave. n.w.

WASHINGTON MARKET COMPANY. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington Market Company will be held at the office of
the company in the Center Market, in the city of Washington, at 12 o'clock noon on the FIRST MONDAY,
being the 5th day of January, 1851, for the choice of
thereten directors for the ensuinz year and to act on
any other subject within the power of the corporation.

SAMUEL W. CURRIDEN, Secretary.
Washington, D. C., December 22, 1850. d222-11t

UNION CASH REGISTER COMPANY Have opened Washington office at 610 Fst.n. w., where the General Agents are prepared to sho THE BEST, THE MOST SIMPLE AND THE MOST ACCURATE CASH REGISTER

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O-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION. "EQUITABLE BUILDING." 1003 FST. Amets \$1,155,208.21.

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Shares are \$2.50 per mont Pamphlets explaining the objects and adve

Index to Advertisements.

GEORGETOWN MASONIC HALL ASSO-ciation.—The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the above-named association for the election of directors will be held at Masonic Hall, Georgetown, TUESDAY, January B, 1891, at 7 p.m. jaz-37 H.W. BARRETT, Secretary. Ja2-3t

H. W. BARRETT, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the National Typographic Company will be held at Room 89, Tribune building, New York city, at 10 ciock p.m., on the 1 HIRD SAT-URDAY of January, 1891, being the 17th day of the month, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it. The transfer books will be closed until the 19th instant.

WM. HENRY SMITH, Ja2,9816-38

secretary.

SPIRITUALISM AT GRAND ARMY HALL,
10 a.m. Lecture 11:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Mrs.
Nellie J. T. Brigham, from the New York society, will
occupy platform for January. Mrs. Brigham, ss an
inspirational speaker and improvisatrice, has few
equals, no superiors. Come and hear this wonderfully
guited speaker. Ten cents door collection. ja2-2* THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Atlantic Building Company will be held on THURSDAY, January 15. A.D. 1881, at its principal office, 123 South Royal st. Alexandris, Va. for the election of thirteen directors and the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before it. The polis will be open for the election of directors from 12:30 o'clock m. to 10-clock p.m. A. T. BallTron, GEO. E. EMMONS, President. Secretary. 12.9, 14-35

NOTICE 18 HERRBY GIVEN THAT A meeting of the stockholders of the United States Capitol Life Insurance Company, pursuant to a petition and order therefor, will be held at the home office of said company, No. 70 Atlantic building, Washington, D.C., on the SECOND DAY OF FLB-RUAR 1 to diminish the amount of the capital stock of said company and take such action in reference thereto as is by law required and to transact such other business as may be lawfully and properly brought before such meeting. h meeting. Washington , D.C., January 2, 1890.

> D. B. LESTER, JNO. B. SAYRE, CHAS. A. KEELER, DURWARD B. LESTER, President.

JNO. B. SAYRE, Secretary.

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THE WASHINGTON LOAN AND TRUST
Company, Washington, D.C., Jan.2, 1891.—
A meeting of the stockholders of this company for the
election of directors under the new charter will be held
in the Equitable building, 1003 F st. n. w., on TUESDAY, the 13th day of January, 1891. The polls will
be open from 12 until 2 p.m. Transfer books will be
closed from the 10th to the 14th instant,
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B. H. WAKNER, President. THE DISASTROUS FIRE AT MR.

Litter's should war nevery one to insure their household effects and wearing apparel against loss or damage by fire. It will only cost \$4 on \$1,000 when contained in a brick dwelling.

An order addressed to INSURANCE, Star office, will receive attention.

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One of our representatives will be glad to call upon you and fully explain this bond upon request.

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NOBLE D. LARNER, President.

LAWRENCE GARDNER, Secretary.

F. S. PARKS, Assistant Secretary.

Office, 419 10th st.

The weather is likely to be colder; fair;

Washington News and Gossip. AMUSEMENTS.

AUCTION SALES BUSINESS CHANCES. CITY ITEMS COUNTRY REAL ESTATE. DENTISTRY FAMILY SUPPLIES. FOR RENT (Offices) FOR SALE (Lots)..... FOR SALE (Miscellaneous GENTLEMEN'S GOODS HOTELS LECTURES. LOST AND FOUND. MISCELLANEOUS MONEY TO LOAN OCEAN STEAMERS POTOMAC RIVER BOATS. PIANOS AND ORGANS... ROFESSIONAL

WINTER RESORTS.. GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TODAY .- Internal rev nue, \$635,331; customs, \$1,066,740. No Cabinet Meeting.—There was no cabinet

ROPOSALS

AILROADS

PECIALTIES

VANTED (Help).

WANTED (Situations).

VANTED (Miscellan

SECRETARY PROCTOR had an interview with the President on the Indian campaign this morning.

MR. ROBERT T. LINCOLN, the minister to Engand, called on the Secretary of the Interior to-NAVAL ORDERS .- Lieut. R. T. Mulligan, de

tached from the Vermont and ordered to the Despatch. Ensign Huston Eldredge, detached from the Despatch and ordered to the Atlanta. THE JAPANESE MINISTER. - Gozo Taleno, the newly appointed minister from Japan, arrived with his family on the steamship City of Pekin Wednesday night and will at once proceed to Washington

Worsteds and Wools. Secretary Windom nas directed all collectors of customs to conform to the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the case of Seeburger, collector, against Cohn, in which it was held that a manufacture of worsted was not a manufacture of wool. The decision of the court, collectors are informed, will apply only to importations of worsted cloths made prior to the passage of the act of May 9, 1890.

was to be merely formal there were forty Senators present when the journal was read, including Mr. Allison, who had been absent from the city for some ten days past. The Senator-elect from Idaho, Mr. McConnell, who has not yet been sworn in, was also present and was

partment has decided that certain scenery imported by Messrs. Barnum & Bailey is not entitled to free entry as "tools of trade of persons arriving in the United States," for the reason that it had not been in actual use abroad, but was epecially prepared by scenic artists in Paris, and was shipped to this countries.

Spooner, adjourned till Monday at noon.

House.

The Speaker laid before the House the resignation of the men for it is impossible to say full a complement the regiments have in field. When troops move in the winter in a hurry there is always a large proporties of the men to be left behind from sickness, and so I would not like to grees how in a hurry there is always a large proporties of the men to be left behind from sickness, and so I would not like to grees how in a hurry there is always a large proporties of the men to be left behind from sickness, and so I would not like to grees how in a hurry there is always a large proporties of the men to be left behind from sickness, and so I would not like to grees how in a hurry there is always a large proporties of the men to be left behind from sickness, and was shipped to this countries of the men to be left behind from sickness, and was shipped to this countries. try subsequent to the return of the agent of the firm.

PERSONAL .- W. M. Tomkins of Ashland, Wis., H. H. Goodell of the State Agricultural Col-H. H. Goodell of the State Agricultural College of Amherst, Mass., Wm. A. Simmons of New York, Hon. B. F. Harness of Indiana, accompanied by his wife, D.M. Ferry, an extensive seed raiser of Detroit, Dr. J. J. Mott of Raleigh. N.C., and Edward P. Lawton and John W. Harman of the army are at the Ebbitt House.—A. del Salos of Lima, Chili, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Haup of Newark, N. J., Hugh L. Weber of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wilmarth of Grand Hppids are at Willard's.—C. W. Boyer of Challottesville, Va., Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bender of Bethlehem, Pa., and F. B. Morris of Perth Amboy, N.J., are at the Randall.—Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sawyer of Cambridge and N. A. Cliff of Florida are at the Riggs House.—C. M. Busbee of Raleigh, N.C., is at Welcker's.—James Lyons of Richmond, Va., Mrs. Volney Spalding of San Francisco and L. L. Smith of Chicago are at the Shoreham.—T. B. Wallace of Tacoma, Wash., John C. Lewis of Portland, Oreg., and Wm. L. Abbott of Pittsburg are at the Normandie.—D. J. Twitchell of Kansas City and J. A. Tonner of New York are at the Langham.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowman of Springfield, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sibley of Toledo and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green of New York are at the Hotel Arno.—Prof. Wm. Frear of the State College of Pennsylvania, H. H. Johnston of Fredericksburg, Va., and James H. Nelson of New Yerk are at the Hotel Johnson.—J. R. Cullard of Wilte's, Tex., P. V. Porter of Boston, J. H. Rich of Chicago, J. W. Kelly of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Franks of Harrisburg are at the St. James.—Mrs. Laura Osborne Talbott of this city has an article entitled "Inlege of Amherst, Mass., Wm. A. Simmons of are at the St. James.—Mrs. Laura Osborne Talbott of this city has an article entitled "In-dividual Economics" in the January number of the Popular Science Monthly.

THE BLAINE HOUSE FIRE.

Chief Parris Talks About the Good Work
Done by the Fire Department.

Fire Marshal Drew has not yet reported to Chief Parris what he considers the origin of the fire at Mr. Leiter's residence which took place yesterday. Mr. Drew is now engaged in his investigation. Chief Parris in an interview with a Star reporter this morning said that it was simpossible for him to determine at this time just the cause of the fire. "That fire yesterday," continued the chief "only bears out what I have frequently urged, that an engire company should be located in the neighborhood of Dupont Circle so as to be only a short distance from the principal suburban property as well large and costly buildings in the extreme northwestern section. The first company to respond to the alarm yester-between 16th and 17th, and the two companies that support this company were over a mile distant when the general alarm was sounded. This alarm, as you know,brought all of the available fire apparatus in the District to the scene of the confiagration and had a fire occurred in some other section of the city at the same time there was but one company that could have responded. In my opinion at the same time there was but one company that could have responded. In my opinion there should be at least two more engine com-panies in the city, one for the northeastern sec-tion and one in the extreme northwest.

The weather is likely to be colder; fair; westerly winds; cold water.

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ATTENTION, JOURNEYMEN BREAD and ple bakers!—The needing of the fire that well construction of the building had the fire whom you man before the fire alarm was sounded. I can only add that I am heartily gield it occurred in the construction of the building had the fire broken out in the night construction of the building had the fire broken out in the night that portance require the presence of all members. 1–2 By order of the committee.

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SEVEN AND A HALF MINUTES. That Was the Duration of the Senate Session

NEW PLANS TO BE ADOPTED BY THE MAJORITY-EVERY OTHER METHOD TO BE TRIED BEFORE THE CLOTURE BULE IS BROUGHT UP FOR AChalf minutes today. The attendance was al-

Page 6 entered into at the executive session Wednesday, an adjournment was taken until 12 o'clock on Monday. In view of the complaint of Senator Teller, Senator Hale and others that the managers were trying to force cloture upon the Senate before the usual means of securing action on describes to be somewhat like the lava beds of

meeting. But Mr. Hoar and Mr. Aldrich were

absent, and, in accordance with the agreement

A CONTINUOUS SESSION. Their plan will be to have a continuous session, and by every means in their power to try and tire out the opposition. They believe that this will be of no avail to advance action on the measure under consideration, but they ex-pect to demonstrate to the satisfaction of those republicans who oppose cloture that it is the only means by which action can be had.

The democrats will be forced to open filibuster by the adoption of this course by the majority and a lively time may be expected next week.

NO COMFORT FOR THE SILVER MEN. Of course there is no comfort for the silver men in this program, for it will merely pro-

After Brief Sessions the Senate and House Adjourn Till Monday.

Although it was understood when the Senate adjourned on Wednesday that the session today was to be merely formal there were forty Senators present when the journal was read, in- explained.

On this motion Mr. Mills (Tex.) made the point that there was no quorum present.

Whereupon, on motion of Mr. McKinley, the
House adjourned.

PULLED BY ACCIDENT. How Officers Stumbled on a Secret Wire and Gained Entrance to a Club. The New Year reception of the Traymore Club was interrupted last night by the police and the guests of the club were compelled to march to the first precinct station and give their names and deposit \$10 collateral each for their appearance. Included in the list were sons o

any initation tee or not, and he said he had not paid anything directly.

Judge Miller told him that he might do things indirectly about the club, but he would have to answer these questions directly.

Witness then said that the club had not yet declared a dividend.

William Brent, colored, testified that he was elected is nitor.

Wages of the firemen on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad have been ad-vanced 10 per cent and an agreement highly estisfactory to the men entered into.

GEN. MILES' INDIAN POLICY. His Plan of Campaign Against the Sloux, an What is Said About It.

HUNDREDB ELLIGERENT RED MEN-GEN. MILES FORCES-HIS COURSE OFFICIALLY APPROVED UNOFFICIAL CRITICISMS OF THE CAMPAIGN.

The official indications are that the climax of

the Indian war is near at hand. A telegram most as large as it usually is at the hour of was received this morning by Gen. Schofield from Gen. Miles at Pine Ridge agency, Dakota, dated yesterday, announcing that all of the hostiles, numbering about 3,000 men, women and children, are now encamped in a section of the Bad Lands, about fifteen miles from Pine Ridge, and that there is an almost complete cordon of troops around them. The spot where they have made their stand he measures had been tried, Mr. Aldrich has de-cided not to bring up the cloture resolution on Tuesday. The managers propose to postpone action on this resolution until they have tried and have exhausted every other means of reaching a vote on the elections bill.

describes to be somewhat like the lava beds of California, where the Modocs made their final fight. It is an excellent position from the In-dians' point of view, but there are now no ave-nues of escape, all of these having been closed up by the troops, who have moved down from the north as fast as the Indians have traveled southward.

500 FIGHTING INDIANS IN THE BAD LANDS. Gen. Miles estimates that there are not more than 500 fighting men in the hostile camp. He adds that the Indians have gathered some cattle and provisions and appear to be determined to make their fight for supremacy at this point. He adds that he now hopes that he will be able to so completely close in his circle of soldiers around the hostiles as to be able to induce them to surrender without a struggle. In short, he will make another effort to get them into camp without bloodshed and, in order to do this, he has established a resuler since around the has established a regular siege around the GEN. BROOKE NOT RELIEVED FROM HIS COMMAND.

long the fight and thereby render still more unlikely any silver legislation.

The failure of the radical silver men to make a move toward positive action is not due to an indisposition on their part, but to the fact that has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been relieved from his command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been of the most command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been of the most command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been of the mis command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been of the mis command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been all the most command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been all the most command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been of the most command at Pine Ridge and ordered home. Gen. Brooke has been all the most command at Pine Ridge and o Gen. Schofield said this morning to a STAR dered necessary by the conditions which required the congregation of forces from so many points and over such great distances. Gen. Brooke, who has been on the field while Gen. Miles has been maneuvering in this way to get to Pine Ridge simultaneously with the bulk of the troops, has now left that point for some other place on the scene of action and probably has charge of a section of the forces. Gen. Schofield attributes the rumor to a popular misinterpretation of a military movement that is very easily explained.

Gen. Schofield went on to say: "It is very difficult to estimate just how many troops there yet been sworn in, was also present and was introduced to a good many of the Senators, as was also Mr. Dubois of Idaho, who has been elected for the term to begin on the 4th of March next. No business whatever was transacted and the Senate, on motion of Mr. Spooner, adjourned till Monday at noon.

difficult to estimate just how many troops there are now on the scene of action. Gen. Miles has twelve regiments of infantry, five of cavalry and some artillery forces, about half a regiment. This gives him seventeen and a half regiments, but that would not indicate the number of men, for it is impossible to say how full a complement the regiments have in the and some artillery forces, about half a regiment. This gives him seventeen and a half regiments, but that would not indicate the number of men, for it is impossible to say how full a complement the regiments have in the field. When troops move in the winter in such a hurry there is always a learner regiments. board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers. Referred to the committee on military affairs.

On motion of Mr. McKinley (Ohio) it was ordered that when the House adjourn today it be to meet on Monday next.

Mr. Enloe (Tenn.) moved an adjournment.

Lost—yeas 48, nays 76.

Mr. Thomas (Wis.) moved that the House go into committee of the whole on the private calendar.

On this motion Mr. Mills (Tenn.) and so I would not like to guess how many soldiers there are in the circle around the Indians. Gen. Ruger will probably remain at St. Paul in command of the vast region north of the trouble. His services are more valuable there than they would be at Pine Ridge. His troops have come south from the railroad and are now in line on the White river, just behind the Indian camp."

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which arrived within a mile and a half of Pine force is not entirely approved by the President, the Secretary and the general. His dispatches are received and filed without reply and everything goes to show that this trio of authorities is perfectly complacent over the situation and

ts management.

The news of the dispatch of which the contents are summarized above spread quite rapidly over the department this morning, and caused considerable comment among certain officers who do not agree with their superiors as to the value of the present campaign.

CRITICIZING THE CONDUCT OF THE CAMPAIGN. decided style of hostilities, such as, they wanted the captured party gave fictitions names. The two men whom the police held responsible were Augustus Brill and Elias Reubenstein. Their true names were recorded and they were held in the station over night, as they could mot, under the law, be released either on collateral or real estate security. The rooms of the club were on a table, free to all.

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healed by the death of Gen. Crook—contend that such a campaign as that which is being conducted by the commander now at Pine Ridge is not only feasible, but the only proper style of warfare, every condition being regarded. They argue, in rebuttal of the "dead Indian" theory, that the Sioux can be easily subjected and returned to their reservations if the proper means are employed, and they think that the present campaign is the only way to accomplish that end.

POLITICS OF THE FUTURE.

Murat Halstend Ventures One Prophecy With a Great Big D. The hygienic conditions in Brooklyn must be

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SENT TO THE FIELD.

THE HOSTILE CAMP SURBOUNDED-ABOUT FIVE Troops at Pine Ridge Undertake to

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BARELY ESCAPED CUSTER'S FATE.

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Another special from the agency says: All ommunication with the railroad is cut off exept to the officers over the military wire. There has been no mail service since Sunday, and no one except Indians to carry telegrams to the railroad. Gen. Miles sent out a telegram warning settlers along the railroad. Much has been said about the treachery of Indian scouts. There are cases enough to make every one fear them when away from the agency, but they are not disturbed as a rule.

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a narrow escape, however, from some who were reco There is nothing in the official atmosphere at as they went. Capt. Benton, who escorted the which arrived within a mile and a half of Pine Ridge, when three Indians rode up dressed as soldier scouts. They spoke to poor Haywood in full sight of the troops guarding the train and then shot him down in cold blood. The

> SURBOUNDING THE BOSTILES. OMARA, NEB., Jan. 2.—The Bee has the follow-

of the first infantry from San Francisco have already arrived and six more are expected to day to replace the second. A scout came in yesterday and reported that the main body of the hostiles had moved back twelve miles from the agency and toward the Bad Lands on the north. Another arrived last evening and reported the Indians indulging in a wild war dance only eight miles from here.

ON MONDAY'S BATTLE FIELD. A party of Indian scouts visiting the scene of Monday's battle found nine Indians who were

TWO INDIAN BABIES FOUND. In addition to the adults found two tiny In-

TWO CENTS.

Surround the Indians.

THE SOUTH CHICAGO BANK ROBBERY

Four Deaths Caused by Panic at a School Festival.

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his men turned against the soldiers, but fought bravely with them, and many soldiers confirm

troop took prompt and instant revenge.
Yesterday the friendlics, who are camped on White Clay creek south of the agency, reached the abandoned tepees of Little Wound, Two Strike and Red Cloud's camp. All day long their wagons loaded with plunder streamed from the abandoned camp.

From the expression upon the faces of the officers and men as they filed out through the snow and bitter cold it was evident that they did not relish Miles' order. Three companies of the first infantry from San Francisco have

The hygienic conditions in Brooklyn must be somewhat superior to those in Cincinnati, for Murat Halstead looks much better than he has for years past.

"How does New York politics compare with the Ohio article?" asked a Star reporter of the recently transported editor.

"There's not so much difference," he replied.
"Things are in about just as much of a muddle in the one place as the other. We have a few factional fights in the republican party of

"The prospect of emigration to America does not seem likely to be attended with success, at all events not as regards the great majority of those emigrating. America only offers some those emigrating. America only offers some certainty of gaining a livelshood to an essentially agricultural population, such as the Irish. What would merchants, bankers and peddlers do in the wilds of the far west? How many years would it take to transform them into farmers and how would they live in the meantime? It appears to me that it would be preferable to try colonization in Asia, Palestine, Syria, especially Mesopotamia, where land would not cost any more than in America and might be obtained for less. The Hebrews would there find an agricultural population that would admit them without difficulty."

HERREW IMMIGRATION.

What a Competent Authority Says in Regard to the Matter.

LONDON, Jan. 2.-With reference to the

cheme to assist 30,000 Russian Hebrews to

settle in the United States, a committee to

secure which end has been formed in Hamburg, a specially competent authority who is interested in the welfare of the Russian Hebrews

Special Cable Dispatch to The Evening Star.

said yesterday:

THE SOUTH CHICAGO ROBBERY. Featherstone Confesses He Details the Plan

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.-Chas. E. Mullen and Harry Featherstone, the South Chicago bank robbers, have made a full confession to Inspector Hunt. "Featherstone," said Inspector Hunt, "detailed the planning and execution of the South Chicago job and gave Mullen the responsibility of suggesting it. His story tailies perfectly with Bennett's and Corbett's. Featherstone also admits being concerned in the Allerton packing house robbery three weeks ago.

"Mullen confesses," continued inspector Hunt, "that he conceived the plan of the rob-

bery and imparted his scheme to Featherstone and the man named Hickey. They spent and completed the arrangements, which they carried out on the following day. Mullen's statement is corroborated by Featherstone and it verifies Bennett and Corbett in their plea-that they were led into the robbery by Feather-

PANIC AT A SCHOOL FETE. Terrible Scenes Caused by Children's Dresse

LONDON, Jan. 2. - Further particulars received today from Wortley, near Leeds, show that the terrible scenes witnessed at the school fete were in no way exaggerated, though the cause of the disaster was not the falling of a string of Chinese lanterns as at first supposed.

The school fete referred to was a charity bazaar held under the auspices of the parish of Wortley. The building used for the fete was the church school adjoining the Wortley Church Part of the program of the bazaar's attractions was a series of tableaux vivants in which a number of the young girls and boys of the parish took part. For this display a small stage was erected in the school room and to the right of the stage and opening upon it was a room used as a dressing room or green room by the children. Inside this dressing room, just before the disaster, a crowd of joyous children were gathered, all the girls of the party being in light gauze attire and many of them covered in addition with cotton, used to represent covered in addition with cotton, used to repre-sent snow. In addition several of the children carried, dangling on sticks about their heads,

CHILDREN'S COSTUMES ON FIRE The tableaux vivant, then preparing, was in tended to symbolize the winter frolics of the "Mummers" in days gone by. Suddenly shricks of terror issued from the little room and all were herror-stricken to see a number of children rush upon the stage with their con-tumes on are. The gentlemen prompily Capt. Taylor denies emphatically that any of his men turned against the soldiers, but fought bravely with them, and many soldiers confirm his words.

INDIAN TREACHERY.

Capt. Jacob Jackson of the seventh cavalry had a narrow escape, however, from some who wore of the injured children are not expected to

coats and capes. The captain had a squad of twenty men chasing fugitives a mile or more from Wounded Knee, when a haif a dozen of trailers or hostiles, disguised in police and who was playing with a lighted lamp accident. from Wounded Knee, when a haif a dozen of trailers or hostiles, disguised in police and scouts' clothing, rode up with a pleasant greeting, turned, cantered off fifty yards, wheeled, and, without warning, opened fire. At the same instant fully fifty more Indians appeared over the crest of the hill and started for the little band, who retreated to the creek, firing as they went. Capt. Benton, who escorted the mentioned. The result was that a crowd of children, who also made a rush for the door the flatnes caused a panic among the ether children. Who also made a rush for the door children. Who also made a rush for the door children. Who also made a rush for the door children were crushed around the child whose children were crushed around the child whose clothes were already in flames and thereby ignited the clothing of twenty or thirty other children.

STOCKS DULL AND FIRM.

The Market Improves on the Opening Price New York, Jan. 2.-The stock market this morning gave no indications of the proximity of a January boom, but, on the contrary, first prices were almost all lower, and the losses from Wednesday's final figures extended to % 'per cent. These concessions were followed by further declines in all the active stocks, although the business done was quite limited and outside of the usual half dozen stocks little animation and no feature were shown. Louisville and Nashville was again the leader of the downward Nashville was again the leader of the downward movement, and after opening % per cent lower at 72½ it retired at ½ per cent further, making a net loss from Wednesday's price of 1½ per cent. The others, among which Lackawanna was most prominent, lost fractional amounts. Wheeling and Lake Erie preferred was the one notable exception to the rule and it opened up ½ and advanced 1½ to 18¾. The list developed a better tone, but there was no material improvement in prices and at 11 o'clock the market was very dull and barely steady at a shade better than the lowest prices.

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Money is close at 6a? per cent. The stock market after 11 o'clock developed a more positive tone and strength and everything traded in was lifted above the level of the opening price, while the coal stocks and some of the low price shares showed marked strength and material advances. Lackawanna led, as usual of late, among the active stocks and rose to 133, a rise of 1½ from its first price, while Delaware had been advanced from 130½ to 132. Tennessee coal gained 2%, Rio Grande Western 1½, the preferred 1½, and Mexican Central 1½, and the rumors in regard to the absorption of the Susquehanna and Western by the Lackawanna sent the former up fractionally on a very light business. The top figures were not maintained toward the end of the hour, but at noon the market was dull and firm at fractional gains the market was dull and firm at fractio

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, Jan. 2 .- This city was urprised yesterday by the news made public that C. F. Resseguice, general manager of the mountain division of the Union Pacific, is de-posed and W. H. Bancroft, late superintendent of the Rio Grande Western, put in his place. The change goes into effect January 15.

A Finish Fight Arranged

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over the opening prices.

There were only two sales of silver today opening, 104%, and last sale, 104%.